NOTICE OF IMPROPER REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)		10/768,841		YAMAMOTO, TOMOYUKI	
		10/700,041	Art Unit 2600	Date Mailed:	
	equest for continued examination (RCE) unde	er 37 CFR 1.114 filed or	n <u>10 April, 2008</u> is im	proper for	
1. [Continued examination under 37 CFR 1.114 do wish to consider filing a continuing application under cannot be treated as a CPA.				
2.	Continued examination under 37 CFR 1.114 do Applicant may wish to consider filing a continuir	es not apply to an applicang application under 37 Cl	tion that was filed before 1.53(b).	re June 8, 1995.	
3. 🗵	Continued examination under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to an application unless prosecution in the application is closed. If the RCE was accompanied by a reply to a non-final Office action, the reply will be entered and considered under 37 CFR 1.111. If the RCE was <u>not</u> accompanied by a reply, the time period set forth in the last Office action continues to run from the mailing date of that action.				
4. 🗆	The request was not filed before payment of the issue fee, and no petition under 37 CFR 1.313 was granted. If this application has not yet issued as a patent, applicant may wish to consider filing either a petition under 37 CFR 1.313 to withdraw this application from issue, or a continuing application under 37 CFR 1.53(b).				
5. [The request was not filed before abandonment proceedings terminated on Applicant m this abandoned application.	of the application. The application of the application.	oplication was abandon a petition under 37 CFF	ed, or R 1.137 to revive	
6. [The request was not accompanied by the fee s 1.114. Since the application is not under appea allowance continues to run from the mailing date.	II, the time period set forth	as required by 37 CFR in the final Office actio	t n or notice of	
7.	The request was not accompanied by a submis under appeal, the time period set forth in the fir mailing date of that action or notice.	ssion as required by 37 CF nal Office action or notice of	R 1.114. Since theapp of allowance continues	olication is not to run from the	
CPA f	A continued prosecution application (CPA) unde filed in a utility or plant application that has a filing 1.114. The request for a CPA in the instant applic n(s) indicated above.	date on or after June 8,	1995 will be treated as	an RCE under 37	
	A copy of this Notice	MUST be returned with	h the reply.		
Direc	et any questions concerning this notice to				
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